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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
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H-307 The Capitol
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The Honorable Kay Granger
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1036 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

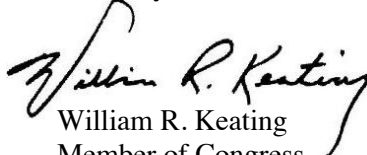
I am requesting \$3,000,000.00 in fiscal year 2023 community project funding for “**Pembroke Community Center**” located in Pembroke, MA. The entity to receive funding is Town of Pembroke with offices located at 100 Center Street, Pembroke, MA 02359.

The project will replace an existing asbestos-contaminated Recreation Center with a new Community Center. The new facility will combine recreation and senior center programs. The total cost estimate is \$21.6 million. The Town has agreed to pay \$19 million toward the project.

This funding is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it closes a funding gap created by increased building costs not anticipated by the Town of Pembroke. The new community center will provide a home for a wide variety of publicly-funded programs offered to residents of the town.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


William R. Keating
Member of Congress